WASHINGTON, D. C., FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 14, 1881.

SENATOR DAVIS

BECOMES THE VICE-PRESIDENT.

The Delaware Senatur's Houurs of Short Duration Action of the Scente Yesterday-The Comconstituted Other Ratters.

The Senate galleries were pretty well filled yesterday, in anticipation of some excitement over another election for President pro tempers. There were comparatively few Scuators present when the President's gavel called the body to order. During the delivery of the prayer Scuator Davis, of Illinois, entered at the main door on the south side of the Chamber. He took his stand just back of the outer row of desks and catinly surveyed the Senate, as if in search of a sign of a

surveyed the Senate, as if in search of a sign of a coming struggle involving higher honor for himself. Secretary Kirkwood and Attorney-General MacVeagh made their appearance upon the floor carly, and were cordially greeted by the Senators. The Senators were all in their seats before the reading of the journal was concluded.

Mr. Lamar offered a resolution requesting the President to advise the Senate whether any action has been taken by the Government since the last session of the Senate toward protecting the rights and interests of the United States in the project of an interoccanic causal at Panama. Laid on the table for future action.

Mr. Edmunds called up his resolution continuing the standing committees of the suitate as they were constituted at the last session.

Mr. Gariand offered an amendment providing that only the following committees shall be continued: Foreign Relations, Finance, Commerce, Military Affairs, Judiciary, Post-Offices and Post-Roads, Public Lands, Pensions, and Indian Affairs.

Roads, Public Lands, Pensions, and Indian Affairs. In submitting this amendment Mr. Gariand inti-mated that the Democrats have no purpose of making a contest for the committees. He contended that the committees named were the only ones which would have any work to do during

the special session.

Mr. Edmunds opposed the amendment. There were committees which were not provided for which, in his opinion, would be necessary in order to perform the work of the session. He instanced the Committee on Privileges and Elections as one which should be organized. There was on the table now a petition presented by the Senator from New Jersey [Mr. McPherson] said to seriously affect the right of a Senator from New York to a seat in this body. That ought to be inquired into. Then there was the Committee on Railroads, which might have work to do. It was known from public report that there had been an important officer suspended for some supposed failure to perform his duty, and by law it was required that such a suspension should be reported to the Senate. The Committee on Contingent Expenses was also a necessary committee. to perform the work of the session. He instanced necessary committee.

Mr. Garland stated that he would modify his

amendment so as to continue the Committees on Privileges and Elections and Contingent Expenses. He thought that it would then include all the committees which it was necessary to organize at Mr. Garland's amendment was rejected-year 35,

mr. tariand's amondment was rejected—yeas 35, nays 37—Davis, of Illinois, and Mahone voting with the republicans.

MR. EDMUNDS' RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

Mr. Edmunds' resolution was then adopted—

yeas, 37; nays, 35.-The standing committees are therefore continued as constituted at the last session, and the

President pro tempore is authorized to fill any va-tancies which may exist.

As soon as the result was announced Mr. Logan rose and offered a resolution for the election of David Davis, a Senator from Illinois, as President pro tempore of the Senate.

Mr. Pendicton asked that the resolution lie over

one day under the rules, and it was so ordered.

The Senate then (at 12:40) went into executive

measion.

MR. DAVIS ELECTED PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE.

When the doors were reopened, at one o'clock, the
chair was occupied by Mr. Harris, of Tennessee,
who called the Senate to order.

Mr. Pendleton then rose and said: "When the
Senator from Illinois [Mr. Logan] offered his resolution for the election of a President pro tempore,
inasmuch as it was offered without previous notice, I objected to its immediate consideration.
Since then, upon reflection and consultation with
Senators on this side of the chamber, I have concluded to withdraw my objection to its immediate

The presiding officer (Mr. Harris) stated that, there being no further objection, the resolution was

before the Senate. Senator Jones, of Florida, maintained that the now choose another presiding officer. He said that the Speaker of Parliament is chosen for a term, and he insisted that Mr. Bayard could not be legally ousted. He read from a speech of the late William H. Seward, who held that when the chair was filled another presiding officer could not be chosen until the chair became vacant.

The yeas and nays were called. When Mr. Bay-ard's name was called he said he would withhold his vote; that he had never obtained office by his own vote and he would never retain it by that mained silent. The vote was 36 year to 34 nays Mossrs. Bayard and Anthony were appointed to escort Mr. Davis to the chair. He was escorted to his position with a smiling countenance. On taking the chair Mr. Davis said:

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SENATORS: The honor just conferred comes, as the
seat which I now occupy in this body did, without
any expectation on my part. If it carried any party
shightcompliment. I do not accept it as a tribute to
any personal merit, but rather as a recognition of the
independent position which I have long occupied in
the politics of the country. Turn profoundly grateful
for this mark of confidence, and it will be my duty to
administer the trust with imperiality and with entire fairness. Not having been trained in parliamentary practice, I shall beg the indulgence of the Senate
in this respect, and I hope for a generous co-operation
on all sides. The Senate will please come to order.

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Mr. Edmunds—I think it not only a duty, but a pleasure, to move that the thanks of the Senate be expressed to the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, the re-

tiring President pro tempore.

Mr. Butler (sotto twee)—Sarcasm.

Mr. Edmunds—Not a bit of it. I move that the thanks of the Senate be expressed to the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard for the dignity and impar-tiality with which he has presided over this body during the short period that he has done so. [Low, sarcastic laughter on Democratic side.] I am sorry to see Senators smile. I am actually in carnest. The Senator from Delaware came to the chair under circumstances of excitement and trial, and, though his career has been short, I, as one of his political adversaries, in all slucerity wish to express my obligation to him for the impartiality with which he has conducted the duties asigned to him. The motion was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Logan, a committee consisting of Messrs, Bayard and Logan was appointed by the chair to wait upon the President and an-nounce to him the election of Mr. Davis, of Illinois,

as President pro tempore.

The resolution offered yesterday by Mr. Kellogg calling for papers in the State Department in the case of Vincenzo Rebello was adopted, after being amended so as to be addressed to the President instead of to the Secretary of State. Mr. Voorhees stated that he had received a com-

munication from a lady, which had induced him munication from a say, which had induced him to de the following: Resolved, That the Joint Committee on the Library be instructed to inquire into the expediency of causing a medal to be made in gold communicative of the fracto and most famentable death of James A. Gar-fold, late Frendent of the United States.

The resolution was referred to the Committee or The resolution was reterred to tas Committee on Library, together with the letter alluded to, and which makes the suggestion that a gold medal be struck and presented to Harry Garsield, the late President's cidest son, and that similar bronze medals be presented to the President, Cabinet, members of the Senate and House of Representalives, and the surgeons who attended President

colleague and he had deemed it advisable not to make any formal announcement of President Garfield's death at this session, but to await the action of the two Houses of Congress at the regu

lar session, when, no doubt, proper ceremonies would be ordered. Mr. Voorbees offered a resolution reciting that among the regulations of the Cincinnati post-office, which have been approved by the Postmaster-General, is one that no application to fill vacancies will be entertained from persons under twenty or over thirty years of age, and that such a regulation excluses all Union soldiers who served in the war of the rebellion, and directing the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads to inquire by what law or authority such a rule has been approved by the Postmaster-General. Referred. The Senate then (at 1:35) adjourned.

The Republican Senators met with but little opposition yesterday to their plan of electing At Philadelphia-Judge Davis, of Illinois, President pro tempers of ties, 2. Seven finnings.

the Senate. With the exception of an objection made by Mr. Fendleton when the resolution was offered, so as to send it over for a day, but which offered, so as to send it over for a day, but when was afterward withdrawn, and a mild protest by femator Jones, of Florida, against the establishing as a pracedent of the right of the majority to elect the presiding officer, the Democrats made no attempt to block the course of proceedings, accepting the inevitable with tolerably good grace. In anticipation of the important event of the day units a large assemblace was accepted to the right. quite a large assemblage was present in the gal-leries when the Senate met, but when the objec-tion was made to the Legan resolution unsealing

leries when the Senate met, but when the objection was made to the Logan resolution unseating Mr. Bayard and seating Mr. Davis the spectators, understanding that under the rules this carried the matter over for a day, left in a body, so that when Mr. Pendleton unexpectedly withdrew his objection and Mr. Davis was elected but a small number of speciators were present. In detail the day's proceeding were carried out seconding to the arrangement determined mpon at THE REPUBLICAN CAUCUS VINTERDAY.

Senator Edmunds called up his resolution with regard to the reappointment of the standing committees, and asked for a vote. Senator Gariand offered an amendment providing for the appointment of only certain of the committees, such as it was supposed would be needed for the transaction of business at this session. The amendment was voted down and the original resolution adopted. Then came the first step toward the unweating of Mr. Bayard. Senator Logan rose, with a paper in his hand, and, extehing the President's eye offered the resolution to elect havis. Insantly the galleries were all attention, and on the floor of the Chamber Senators pricked up their ears and leaned forward interestedly. As Mr. Logan read the resolution, and while it was being sent to the President's desk, all eyes were turned on Senator Davis. Respectation, and while it was being sent to the President's desk, all eyes were turned on Senator Davis. Respectation, and while it was being sent to the President's desk, all eyes were turned on Senator Davis. Respectation, and the form of the chamber of the chamber of the chamber of the position be maintained during the subsequent proceedings. When the resolution was reported Senator Pendleton asked that it go over for a day, and the Senate went into executive session, much to the

DEAPPOINTMENT OF THE GALLERIES.

The general impression then was that the matter had been disposed of for the day, but to the surprise of every one, on the open session being resumed Senator Femilieton arose and withdrew his objection, stating that he did so after reflection and consultation with his colleagues. It was then noticed that Bayard had left the chair and was in his old seat on the floor. Senator Logan pressing at the President's desk. Senator Logan pressing his resolution every one was again on the qui vice for what would follow. Some expected to see the Democrats begin to filibuster, others looked for some remarks from Bayard, while others still watched Judge Davis in the expectation that he would take the floor and make some sort of announcement. He sat in his old position, however, and remained silent.

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was put to a vice voce vote, but before a decision could be announced Jones, of Fiorida, took the floor to argue against doing what his Democratic colleagues had contended for on Monday—the right of the majority to elect a President pro tempore. When he concluded Butler demanded a yea and may vote, and the roll was called on the resolution. Bayard's name being reached, he arone and stated that as he had never voted to secure himself an office he would not now vote to retain one. This speech, delivered in his characteristically pumpous style, and evidently simed at the Independent Senator from Illinous, fell somewhat flat, and the call proceeded. When Davis name was reached there was an embarrassing pause, the Senator refraining from voting, though the Clerk dwell for some time on his name. The result of the vote was soon announced, lie to 4, there being two pairs, and two Senators withholding their votes. The cene which folslowed was hardly consistent with the dignity of the Senate. The Democrates in their chagrin endeavored to treat the matter as ridiculously as possible, and the evident embarrassment of the newly-elected presiding officer gave them the opportunity. When the chair called on Senators Bayard sud Authony To Excent Silvardon Davis to the chair, the latter arose and shood, nervously sugering his coat buttons. Bayard, as he came forward to perform the duty assigned him, wore a broad smile, and a number of his colleagues on the Democratic side indulged in audible laughter, which proved contagious and extended through the Chamber and to the galleries. Judge Davis himself appeared to be seized with a desire to laugh, and as he moved toward the 'President's desk, supported by Senators Bayard and Anthony murmured something in an underfoue, at which he explained his position and asked the consideration of his colleagues

LAST NIGHT THE FEW DEMOCRATS
who were to be seen about the hotels had not recovered from the disgust with which the day's
proceedings had filled them. From all that can
be gathered it appears that the anxiety of a few
Democratic Sciusiors to get as near as possible to
the Presidency overbore all questions of policy
raised in Saturday's caucus, and as a half a dozen
or more of their indignant colleagues now assert, or more of their indignant colleagues now assert, gave the Republicans the vantage ground. Last night the outlook was that the session would extend over into the week after next. The probabilities are that the nominations sent in yesterday and the day before and referred to committees will be acted on to-day, and while waiting for Cabinet nominations the Senate will take a recess until next Thursday, to permit of attending the Yorktown ceremonics. On reconvening, the Cabinet and other important nominations will probably be sent in and disposed of in a few days, perhaps by Monday or Tuesday of the week following, when the Senate will adjourn. The prevailing impression now is that neither the Secretaryship nor any other of the Senate offices will be touched this session.

n His Efforts to Capture the Ohio and

Mississippi Ratiroad.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 13.—At the beginning of the election for directors of the Ohio and Mississipi Railway to-day the attorneys for the New York party gave notice of protest against the ap-pointment of inspectors by the board of directors, pel atment of inspectors by the board of directors, claiming that it was the right of the stockholders to appoint inspectors of election. They also protested against the voting of proxies signed by executors of estates unless accompanied by letters of administration legalinat receiving the vote of unregistered bonds hypothecated by Garrett & Sons, and against the voting of proxies of stock, shares of which are now owned by Jay Gould. All these protests were submitted without argument. The inspectors, in announcing the result, stated that they had not included in their count bonds to the amount of \$872,000, presented by Garrett & Sons, but not registered in their name, preferring not to pass upon the question of their right to vote these bonds. The result was declared as follows: "For Jay Gould, Russell Sage, Sidney Dillon, and Henry Humphreys, 120,914 shares. For J. L. Donaldson, of Baltimore; 183,522 shares. The latter were declared elected. The new board organized by the election of W. T. McClintock as president, and the other officers the same as last year, except that A. Donaldson was chosen auditor and assistant secretary instead of E. K. Punnett. The committee appointed vesterday to carry out the plan for taking the road out of the hands of the receiver decided to-day to proceed immediately with their task. The committee is composed of W. T. McClintock (chalrinan), T. H. Garrett (treasurer), and W. W. Scarborough. claiming that it was the right of the stockholders

Arrivals at Yorktown

YORKTOWN, VA., Oct. 13.—Military and citizens are arriving from all parts. The Moore House will be formally opened at noon on Satur-House will be formally opened at noon on Saturday next. The event has been postponed until that day to suit distinguished citizens, who could not be present until then. The grand pavillon will be completed and opened with religious exercises on Sanday next. The press building is ready for occupancy by the Union News Company, and the Western Union Telegraph Company is now occupying its portion. The railroad from Newport News is nearly completed, and will be fluished to-day.

Iroquois Beaten. LONDON, Oct. 13 .- The race for the champion stakes, one mile and a quarter and seventy-three yards, run at Newmarket to-day, was won by Ben d'Or, Scobell coming in second and Iroquois third. Iroquois faltered when as-cending the rise for home and there was great excitement. Ben d'Or won the race by half a length, there being two lengths between Scobell and Iroquois.

The Garfield Monument Fund ument committee have received a letter from Governor Thomas T. Crittenden, of Missouri, ac-cepting the appointment of general manager of the Garfield monument fund. He will at once issue an address calling for contributions. The fund now amounts to \$9,142.

TORONTO, ONT., Oct. 13.—It is definitely settled that Hanlan and Ross are to race for \$2,000

a distance of one and a half miles and turn-race to be rowed at Creve Cour Lake, near St. Louis, Mo., November 15. For the Michigan Sufferers.

New York, Oct. 13.—Subscriptions to the Michigan relief fund to day amounted to 51,345.74, making the grand total \$88,707.57.

Base-Ball Games. At Philadelphia-Athletics, 3; Atlan-

GARFIELD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL. A HEARTY WELCOME feeling of the Executive Committee Res-

TO THE SONS OF OUR ALLIES OF 1776.

Arrival of the French Visitors-Descendants of La Fayette, Rochambeau, and De Granse in the National Capital-Their Reception at the Depot-Full Details.

District Commissioner Morgan, accompanied by Lieutenants Hoxle and Greene, the two latter resplendant in gorgeous uniform, left by the ten o'clock train yesterday morning to meet the French guests at Baltimore, descendants of La-fayette and other illustrious soldiers who participated in the glorious struggle for freedom, Gensop, of the citizens' reception committee, fol-lowed on the twelve o'clock train. The distinguished strangers were not at the Mount Vernon Hotel by the delegations from here, and, after the customary handshaking had been gone through, left Baltimore on the limited express. Before leaving Admiral Halligan delivered a fare-well address from the sters of the cars. He comwell address from the steps of the cars. He com-plimented the country at large and the city of Bal-timore in particular for the cordial hospitality and kindness shown himself and countrymen, and assured his hearers that he should never forget
THEIR COURTESY AND ATTENTION,
The Admiral spoke in French, and with a great

deal of warmth and feeling. At the conclusion of his speech he was warmly cheered. When the train drew up at the platform of the Baltimore and Potomae depot at 4:10 o'clock there were present Commissioners Dent and Twining and the balance of the citizens' reception committee, As-sistant Secretary Walker Blaine and Chief Clerk

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Brown, of the State Department, and a goodly
number of speciators. Assistant Secretary of
State Hitt, who has accompanied the parity ever
since they reached this country, was with them,
accompanied by Messrs. De Milk and Corday, of the
Baltimure cummittee. Commissioner Dent, followed by the reception committee, then boarded
the cars, and in a lew graceful words tendered to
them the hospitalities of the District.

COMMISSIONER DENT'S SPEECH.

YOUR EXCELLENCY: One hundred years ago your
illustrious countrymen, Lafayette and Rochambean,
stood by the side of the great Washington to defend
ant.secure the liberty and happiness which we now
enjoy. This distinguished company, as the representatives of France and the guests of the Uu ted States,
have come to our shores to see the fruits of the herole
sacrifices of our ancestors and to join with us in celebrating the grand event at Yorktown, which closed
the drama of the revolution of 175 and crowned with
United States of America. In the name of the people
of the District of Columbia I welcome them, one and
all, to the Capital of the Union, and tender to them its
freedom and hospitality.

M. OUT TEY'S RESPONSE.

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as follows:

I am pleased to see the chief officer of the Capital.

I am deeply thankful on behalf of myself and compatriots for this reception and kind wishes expressed.

The sentiments contained in your address of welcome find a hearty response in our breasts, which will long cherish the memories of this occasion.

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The party then entered carriages and in the following order weuded their way to the Arlington Hotel: First earriage, Commissioner Dent, Admiral Halligan, General Bonlanger, M. Outrey; second carriage, Major Twining, Commandant Lichtenstein, Major Morgan; third carriage, Assistant Secretary of State Hitt, Marquis and Marquise de Rociambeeu; fourth carriage, Mr. Sevellon Brown and Madame Ernest Loyscall, and the rest of the delegation as follows: Colonel Bossau, commander of the Twentieth Dragoons; Lieutenant Colonel R. C. Blondel, Lieutenant Sigismund de Sahune, Twentieth Dragoons; Octave de Russey, attache of the minister for war; Jules de Cavalier de Cuveirville and Henri des Camps, captains in the navy; Baron C. d'Aboville, Vicomte Henri d'Aboville, the Count d'Olonne, Charles d'Olonne, Francois de Corcelle, delegates of the foreign office; the Vicomte de Hanssonville, St. George's Mason, captain of the Legion of Strangers, and attache of the French military mission, accompanied by his wife and child; Hugues Boulard Pecquerille, secretary of embassy; Frederick Schilling, naval lieutenant; Gaston de Sahune, sons prefet de Coul; Count de Grasse, lieutenant Frist Regiment of Marines; Henry Chomas, maval lieutenant; Feix Regamy, delegate of the Minister of Public Instruction and Fine Arts; Count Paul de Beaumont, Lieutenant de Lestrade, and Mr. Samuel, interpreter.

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the Johnson House, are quartered Rear-Admiral
Halligan, General Boulanger, Commandant Lichtenstein, Colonel Bossau, Chevalier de Cuyelrville, Captain des Camps, Commandant de
Peucy, Lacutessant Thomas Aldbuth, and Lientenant Schiffing. The remainder of the commission
are located in the main building of the hotel. The
Pomeroy House, which is another annex of
the hotel on the H street side, has been
set apart for the German guests, who will arrive
this morning. The fronts of both annexes were
decorated with the flags of the respective natious
trimmed with the American colors. After dinner
many of the visitors strolled out into the lobby of
the hotel, the gay uniforms and red frousers of
several of the officers lending a somewhat novel
appearance to the usually staid surroundings of
this caravansary. Owing to fatigue the members
of the commission retired at an unusually early
hour.

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sertes; Grace a la Vanille. Fruits—Fromage. Cafe.

WHAT THEY WILL DO TO-DAY.

To-day they will breakfast at ten o'clock, and at one o'clock will take carriages and proceed to the Department of State, where they will be presented to Secretary Blaine by M. Maxime d'Outrey, the French Minister. From the Department they will return to the Arlington, where the escort will be formed and the procession will take up the line of march via Fifteenth-and-a-half street and the Avenue to the Capitol. At two o'clock the visitors will be received in the rotunda by the Fresident and the members of the Cabinet. The guests will be presented to President Arthur by Secretary Blaine. At the conclusion of this ceremony the visitors will be conducted to the Senate Chamber, where they will be presented to that body, speeches being made by Secretary Blaine and President Davis, and possibly replies on behalf of the distinguished guests. From the Capitol the commission will return to their hotel and remain until after dinner. After this they will be again conveyed to the State Department, and from the balconies of this building they will witness the pyrotechnical display, which will take place in Monument Lot. No programme has yet been determined upon for Saturday, but it is probable that the members of the commission will break up into small parties and visit the points of interest in the city, and possibly attend the meeting of the National Fair Association.

THE GERMAN GUESTS. Colouel Von Steuben and Others Arrive In New York.

New York, Oct. 13 .- The German officers who arrived on the Horder are; Colonel Arndt von Steuben, of the Seventy-ulnth Regi-ment; Richard von Steuben, overseer of the imerial forests: Fredealck von Steuben, captain of the Fourth Imperial Guard; Eugene von Steuben, of the Ninety-eighth Infantry; Lieutenant Kuno of the Ninety-eighth Infantry: Lieutenant Kuno von Stenben, of the Thirty-ninth Infantry; Lieutenant Berndt von Stenben, of the Twenty-second Infantry; and Lieutenant Anton von Steuben, of the Twenty-second Infantry; and Lieutenant Anton von Steuben, of the Twenty-second Infantry; and Lieutenant Anton von Steuben, of the Twenty-sinth Infantry. The German officers will dino with the committee at the Fifth Avenue Hotel at six o'clock this evening, and at eight o'clock will proceed to the Everett House to witness the parade of German socioties in their honor. The Government and State reception committees, going down the bay on the revenue vessels which have been ordered to take parade of the Euperical Challes Adams, on behalf of the Department of State, welcomed the visitors in a short address, to which commend the visitors in a short address, to which commend the visitors in a short address, to which the was deeply affected by the friendly greeting. He was deeply affected by the friendly greeting. He was deeply affected by the friendly greeting. He was deeply affected by the friendly greeting. States Government had been the means of pro-

COLONEL VON STRUBERS REPLIED.

He was deeply affected by the friendly greeting. He said that the invitation tendered by the United States Government had been the means of promoting such interest and almost excitement among all classes in Germany that the Emperor particularly requested all members of the family to participate to the fallost extent at the celebration at Yorktown. The people of Germany were especially rejoiced, and considered themselves honored that the historical feeling in the United States as regards the military services of Germans has been kept green in their hearts. In consequence he (Colonel Von Steuben) and his relatives were present, and accepted gladly the invitation just tendered to them, and they especially wished to express their thanks for the kind and magnificent reception they received.

THE COMMITTEE AND THEIR GUESTS
were then transferred to the United States man-ofwar Kearsarge. There a handsome reception was
accorded to the Yon Steuben, the cannon thundering forth a salute meanwhile. Off the battery the
visitors received a salute from Governor's Island,
and shortly after the Kearsarge landed the party
at the barge offices. At the meeting of the baard
of aldermen to -day a resolution was adopted tendering the freedom of the city to the visitors.

A BRILLIANT SCENE

olutions Adopted-Appeni for Aid. TO A meeting of the executive committee A meeting of the executive committee of the Garfield Memorial Hospital was held in the red parlor of the Ebbitt last night. There were present General W. T. Sherman, Mr. John A. Baker, James Ghüllan, Dr. S. C. Hussey, A. S. Solothe French and German Visitors-The Procession to the Capitol-Programme There and Elsewhere.

mons, Dr. G. C. Palmer, Reginald Fendall, Dr. P.
A. Ashford, L. J. Davis, Dr. J. M. Toner, H. W. Garnett, J. H. Saville, H. A. Willard, J. Pord Thompson, and Dr. Smith Townshend. Mr. Davis, from
the committee appointed for the purpose, reported
the following:

That a committee of five be appointed and distribu-The final meeting of the executive committee of the Yorktown Centennial Entertainment Association was beld in the city post-office building last evening, the attendance being greater than on any previous meeting. Commissoner Dent presided, Mr. M. M. Parker secretary, and the following were present: Postmaster D. B. Ainger, W. J. Stephenson, Colonel Amos Webster, James Lausburgh, Horatio Browning, William Dickson, F. K. Ward, T. K. Luttrell, Samuel Cross, E. G. Davis, N. Demongot, Doctor E. S. Kimball and M. L. Weller. Mr. Cross from the finance committee stated that the cash on hand amounted the following:

That a committee of five be appointed on distribution of appeal and for such other purposes as may be connected therewith.

That the appeal be cabled to our ministers and constronal with the request that they being it to the substitution of the constitution of the const

as charge of all business before the Astronal Legislature.

THE COMMITTEES WERE AFFORTED as follows: Ways and means—A. S. Schomons, John W. Thompson, Dr. J. M. Toner, Henry A. Willard, Benjamin G. Lovejoy; finance—Lewis J. Davis, James Gilfillan, E. Frank Riggs; rule—Dr. F. A. Ashford, James H. Saville, Dr. J. Bors Thompson; legislation—Hon. William Windom, G. acral David G. Swaim, Mr. Justice MacArthur, Henry Wise Garnett, Reginald Feedall. The fullowing memorial audit argust, prepared by Secretary Biatne, was read by General W. T. Sherman, and unanimously adopted:

The President yesterday sent the fol-lowing nominations to the Scuate; Haunibal Hamila, of Maine, Envoy Extraordinary and Min-later Plenipotentiary of the United States to Spain; Walker Blaine, of Maine, Third Assistant Secre-tary of State; Mark S. Brewer, of Michigan, con-sul-general of the United States to Berlin; Alex, Jourdan of Pennsylvania, consult of the United sul-general of the United States to Berliu; Alex. Jourdan, of Pennsylvania, consul of the United States at Algiers; Edmund Johnson, of New Jersey, consul of the United States at Pictou; Arthur H. Harrison, of New Jersey, consul of the United States at Pictou; Arthur H. Harrison, of New Jersey, consul of the United States at Santander; Winfield Scott Bird, of Alabama, consul of the United States at Santander; Winfield Scott Bird, of Alabama, consul of the United States at Barbadoes; James W. Siles, of Indiana, consul of the United States at Barbadoes; James W. Siles, of Indiana, consul of the United States at Port Stanley; De Alba S. Alexander, of Indiana, Fifth Auditor of the Treasury; Benjamin P. Davis, of Massachusetts, Deputy Fourth Auditor of the Treasury; Jacob H. Els, New Haupshire, Auditor of the Treasury for the Post-Office Department; Henry A. Kounedy, of Maine, collector of customs for the district of Waldoborough, Me; Thomas M. Broadwater, of Mississippi, collector of customs for the district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of customs for the district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of customs for the third district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of customs for the third district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of customs for the third district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of customs for the third district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of customs for the third district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of customs for the third district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of customs for the district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of customs for the third district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of customs for the third district of Vicksburg, Miss.; William Gouveneur Morris, collector of Customs for the Constant Crop of Customs for the Constant Crop of Cus

United States Consul Roosevelt, of Boricaux, writing to the Department of State, under date of August 26, 1881, reports that, according to date of August 25, 1881, reports that, according to published accounts regarding the wheat crop of France, it appears that the Trap has been very good in three departments, fish in twenty-form departments, and bad in ten departments. The maximum yield counted upon will be about 29,000,000 bushels. There are is about 32,500,000 bushels. There will therefore be a definit of about 58,000,000 bushels, which will have to be imported from other countries. The largest portion of the Importation from other countries. will be from the Called States, the crops of Eng-land, Germany, and Austria being far from what was expected. In Ateeria the crop is in a de-plorable condition. The deact of the crop in Prance has been attributed to the excessive beat during the months of June and July.

CAPITAL JOTTINGS.

REPRESENTATIVE JOHN R. THOMAS, of Illinois, is the Ebbitt House. CONGRESSMAN A. C. HARNER, of Pennsylvania, is t the Ebbitt House.

Assistant Secretary French, of the Treasury Department, has gone to Richmond, Va. ARCHIBALD FORRES, the famous English war cor-respondent, is registered at the Ebbitt House. THE Government receipts yesterday were: Fronternal revenue, \$495,214.25; customs, \$677,674.41.

CHIEF CLERK POWER, of the Treasury Department, returned yesterday after an absence of several weeks. HON. FRANK PAGE, M. C., of California, and Hon. George C. Hazelton, M. C., of Wisconsin, are regis-tered at the National Hotel. tered at the National Hotel.

SENATOR WARNER MILLER, of New York, has
leased the Lindsay mansion, occurred during the
past two sessions by Senator Fendleton. THE Treasury Department yesterday purchased 20,000 ounces of fine silver for delivery at the chiladelphia, New Orleans, and San Francisco

Post-Onice Duighing 10-morrow morning to settle all indebtedness of the association the meeting adjourned.

THE ORDER OF PROCESSION TO-DAY
Is as follows: Colonel Robert Boyd, chiefmarshal; alds, M. M. Parker, Levi Woodbury, Thomas L. Hume, James E. Wangh, Dr. Smith Townshend, George H. Plant, S. H. Merrill, and W. J., Stephenson. First division—District militia, Colonel Amor Webster commanding, and staff; band; Washington Light Infantry Corps, Captain W. Q. Moore; Union Veteran Corps, S. E. Thomasson commanding; band; National Rifles, Captain J. O. P. Burnide; Washington Light Guards, Captain H. D. Norton; band; Buller Zonaves, Captain H. D. Norton; band; Buller Zonaves, Captain H. D. Norton; band; Buller Zonaves, Captain Thomas S. Kelly; Washington Cadets, C. A. Fleetwood; Lincoln Light Infantry, Captain William Carroll; Light Batery A. District of Columbia Artillery, Captain J. C. Hanneman.

Second division.—Civic societies—Chief marshal, William Dickson; aids, E. B. Hay, T. B. Kalbrus, J. P. R. Phelips, and Lloyd Moxley. Uniformed Patriarelys. J. O. O. F., Knights of Pythias, Grand Arnay of the Republic, National Veteran Club, Knights of St. Peter, Veterans of the Maxican War, St. George Society, Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101, Columbia Turn Verein, behevolent and other organizations that propose to take part in the procession ands have not officially communicated the fact will report to Chief Marshal William Dickson Friday, and be assigned to a position.

The escort will form attwelve in. on the north side of Pennsylvania avenue, facing south, right resting on Twenty-second street. Military on the right, the civic societies forming on the left of the military. The column will move by the following rout: Pennsylvania avenue, facing south, right resting on Twenty-second street. Military on the right, the civic societies forming on the left of the military. The column will move by the following bastening the foreign guests will form two obsense and will be assigned to a position.

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THE date of salling of the steamer City of Tokio
from San Francisco, with malls for China, Japan,
and the East Indios, has been postponed from the
20th to the 22d instant.

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Assistant Secretary
Blaine, and Chief Clerk Brown, of the State Department, were over in Baltimore with the French
guests, and returned here with them.

The Diplomatic Corps, in their full uniforms and
orders, called upon President Arthur yesterday.
The call was one increly to pay respects. Quite a
number of Senators and the Attorney-General also
called. THE order of the Post-Office Department requir-

The order of the Post-Office Department requiring receiving postmasters to make a weekly deposit of the finds on hand with the Subtreasurer has been amended so as to make the deposits monthly.

There will be a meeting of the members of the Bar of the Supreme Caurt of the United States in the court room on Montaly morning at 10:30, to take some action in relation to the death of Mr. Justice Clifford.

our passent citizens.

An adjourned meeting of the French residents of the city was held last night at No. 1409 Femissivania avenue. The committee appointed at a preceding meeting to ascertain at what time it would be convenient for them to call upon the distinguished guests of the Nation reported that they had made luquiries, and were informed by Monsieur Outrey, the French Minister, that the visitors would be pleased to receive them after they returned from the Capitol, and three o'clock this afternoon was designated. Consequently, at that hour all people of French parentage residing in this city are requested to meet at the Arlington Hotel for the purpose of presenting an address to the descendants of Lafayette and De Grasse, and they extend an invitation to all the French residents who could not make it convenient to attend all the meetings that have been held to join them at the Arlington. to fill in the office of master of ceremonies on state occasions.

Ur to the hour of closing the Treasury Department yesterday there had been \$1,318,400 in United States \$15,400 ere club, bonds received under the recent circular of Secretary Windom. A telegram was received yesterday afternoon announcing that a large shipment of the bonds had been made from New York to-day.

PRISTORY ARTHUR IS an expert fisherman, and is very foud of fishing as an amisement; and he takes to piscatorial literature as a pastime now and then. During the session of the Senate, while he was Vice President, he frequently spent an hour or so in the library of Congress pouring over the books on fishes and fishing.

The following clerks to Senate committees were sworn in yesterday afternoon: E. O. Foss, Education and Labor; Fraisk H. Howe, Several Brunches of the Civil Service: George B. Clarke, Jr., Traisportation Routes to the Senboard; Willis H. Johnson, Public Buildings and Grounds; Walter Alien, Indian Affairs; George B. Edwards, Civil Service and Retrenchment.

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REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

Hon. A. M. Clapp Elected President-Ef-

fort to Bounce the Vice-President. BE WITNESSED TO-DAY The Republican Central Committee of the District of Columbia held a meeting last even-ing to elect a president to fill the vacancy caused by the death of B. W. Reed. The meeting would have been without special interest, as there was no contest for the office of president, had it not been for the effort made to ous the vice-presi-There and Elsewhere.

The final meeting of the executive committee of the Yorktown Centennial Entertainment Association was beld in the city post-office building last evening, the attendance being greater than on any previous meeting. Commissoner Dent presided, Mr. M. M. Parker secretary, and the following were present: Postmaster D. B. Ainger, W. J. Stephenson, Colonel Amos Webster, James Lamburgh, Horatio Browning, William Dickson, F. K. Ward, T. K. Luttrell, Samuel Cross, E. G. Davis, N. Demongot, Doctor E. S. Kimbail and M. I. Weller. Mr. Cross from the finance committee, stated that the cash on hand amounted to \$4,525,55, and that other money had been subscribed, which would certainly be paid. He reported that he had collected from the Belt Line street-cars \$100. The market men and the Washington and Georgetown Railroad had refused to contribute.

Both There and Elsewhere.

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vince the chair of his mistake, but were unsuccessful.

IN THE RRIEF INTERVALS OF CALM
during the process of enlightening the chair Dr.
Tindail, General Whittaker, and George Boston
were elected a committee on rules, and Messrs.
George Holmes, David Warner, John Goss, J. T.
Bailinger, A. P. Cunningham, Thomas Scott, and
Perry Carson were appointed a committee to inform Mr. Clapp of his election. Every few munutes
the motion was renewed to declare the office of
vice-president vacant, but the chair had other
business to attend to. He happened to see
Mr. Purvis standing in the door and created
a good deal of laughter by estling
out, "Dr. Purvis is here, and Mr. Chase is no
longer a member of the committee." But Dr. Purvis disappeared, and Chaze renewed the motion
declaring the office held by the chair vacant. A
motion to lay the motion on the table was defeated, and then the members began to go out, and
the chair then said that there was not a quorum
present. There was nothing lengtaged but to adjourn, but the opposition got in this work by
adopting a resolution to adjourn, subject to the
call of the president. of the country, as the following programme would indicate:

PROGRAMME OF FIREWORKS.

National salute of 39 aerial marroons or imitative camoon, 290 large one-pound rockets, showing all the newly invented tints for which Brighton Beagh has become famous; 190 two-pound colored lights changing four times, 12 36-inch bombs, largest ever fired in America; 29 30-inch bombs, 1924-inch bombs, 70 16-inch bombs, 4 grand double girondolle wheels, discharging at intervals rockets, Roman candles, mines, &c.; 8 phomix or flery pigeons, flying to and for four times a distance of over 290 feet; 1,000 Roman candles with colored stars showing all the Crystal Palace newly invented thats; 50 tourbillons or flery whirwinds, rising from the ground; the ruby gold and emerald cloud, produced by the simultaneous discharge of 25 large 16-inch bombs; the harlequinade, agrand combi-dight of ten immense bombs, thirty inches in circumference, designed by Mr. Warden, of the Crystal Palace, London; 20 flights of 10 lights of 25 large rockets, bearing floating and chrinking stars; 20 flights of 25 asteroids; 8 30-feet baloous, discharging in mid-air Romans, mines, &c., exhibiting Massrs. Warden & McMahon's wonderful magnesium light; 150 pounds colored fires, producing grand magic filumination; 25 batteries of mines, erackers, saucissons, &c. exhibiting the falls of Niagara, and covering an area of over 7,500 feet; simultaneous flight of Loud large colored rockets. Mr. Dickson stated that Mayor Latrobe, of Baltimore, and the members of the reception committee of the Oriole would arrive here to-day as guests of the association, and Inquired what arrangements had been made in regard to admission to the eventuals of the Capitol. The chair said that the Secretary of State had informed him that Mr. Purvis standing in the door and created a good deal of laughter by calling out, "Dr. Purvis is here, and Mr. Chase is no longer a member of the committee." But Dr. Purvis disappeared, and Chaze renewed the motion of the table was defeated, and then the motion on the table was defeated, and then the members begint to go out, and the chair then said that there was not a quorum present. There was nothing left-to-lo but to adjourn, but the opposition got in his work by adopting a resolution to adjourn, subject to the call of the president.

THAT HOLOGAUST.

Names of the Victims Who Perlahed in the Philadelph a Fire.

Condition of things at this boar less the moments by and there is no telling when it may break or what the victims as far as can be ascertaned now: The dead—Annie Brady, Mary Kelly, Henry Mormon, and an unknown girk, who died at the hospital; two unknown girks, aged about thirteen and eighteen years, respectively, and an unknown German, dead at the morgue. Injured—Mary Kloss, sixteen years old; George W. Dougherty, twenty-one years; Fred Krer, Matters, Swe yea

wonderful magnesium light; 150 pounds colored free, producing grand magic illumination; 25 batteries of mines, crackers, saucissons, &c.; set piece, 60 by 40 representing gigantic portraits of Washington and Lafayctic; set piece, 50 by 40 representing gigantic portraits of Washington and Lafayctic; set piece, 50 by 40 grand cascade of fire, 180 feet long, representing the Falls of Niagara, and covering an area of over 7,500 feet; simultaneous flight of 1,000 large colored rockets. Mr. Dickson stated that Mayor Latrobe, of Baltimore, and the members of the reception committee of the Orlole would arrive here to day as guests of the association, and liquired what arrangements had been made in regard to admission to the rotinade of the Capitol. The chair said that the Secretary of State had informed him that some and the members of the resentation of the committee of the orlole would arrive here to day as guests of the association, and liquired what arrangements had been made in regard to admission to the rotinade of the Capitol. The chair said that the Secretary of State had informed him that some and the morgen. The Land League of the United State, immediately on the roceptor of the news of the arrest of Parnell, sent the following cable dispasses to the various hospitals, so that their exact number on tinyited to the reception and its guests from a Haltimore. Mr. Stephenson said that the Secretary of State had taken it upon himself to make

Baltimore. W. Stephenson said that the Secretary of State had taken it upon himself to make certain suggestions in relation to the reception in Washington, and when the citizens had raised memey to defray necessary expenses their committee was ignored and given to understand that they should remain outside of the rotunda after escorting the guests to the Capitol. Mr. Davis moved the appointment of a committee of five, including the chairman, to wait upon Secretary Biane and request that the usual couriesies should be extended to the local committee and the visitors of Baltimore who had done so much to entertain the French guests while in their city. This was agreed to, and the chair appointed Messrs. Bavis, Parker, Stesheuson, and Dickson. The members of this committee will meet in the reception room of the State Department this morning at ten o'clock. After adopting a motion for the meeting of the anothing committee in the Post-Office building to-morrow morning to settle all indebtedness of the association the meeting adjourned.

THE ORDER OF PROCESSION TO-DAY Is as follows: Colonel Robert Boyd, chiefmarshal; rooks and Parker Levi Wondings. Hospital will result fatally,

OVER TWESTY DEATHS.

The total number of deaths will probably exceed twenty—there being ten death bodies in the ruins. Had the fire occurred in daylight fully 400 people would have been compelled to fight for life with the flames. Within an hour the flames were brought under control, leaving the walls standing, but the inside completely guited out. The loss in property will amount to \$65.0 €, to offset which there is an insurance of \$50,000. Some of the workmen attribute the origin of the fire to sparks from the electric light falling among waste. Others attribute the sudden spread to influences of the overheated wires. The same mill was burned in 1877. Two bodies have been recovered this morning from the ruins; one is the body of Lizzie Marks, of Philadelphia, and the other is supposed to be the remains of John Wecks, twenty-one years old, who belongs to Ulster County, New York.

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"Up to noon to-day the number of dead bodies recovered, as reported to the corone", was eleven, of which five are at the morgue, two at their homes, and four at St. Mary's hospital. The deputy coroner visited the scene of the disaster this morning and learned that the means of escape from the building were inadequate. The only theory of the origin of the fire was that already advanced—the electric light.

Senator Voorhees, of Indiana, intro-duced a resolution yesterday which is likely to give some trouble to certain officers of the Govgive some trouble to certain officers of the Government who have been persistently violating the provisions of section 1751 of the Revised Statutes. The resolution applies to an order in force at the post-office at Cinetinati, providing that in making appointments to a certain class of clerkships only individuals between the ages of twenty-one and thirty can be selected. This order was approved by the Postmasier-General in 1879, and is still in force. Mr. Voorhees in his resolution, claims that this order effectually disbars veterans of the civil war, contrary to the provisions of the statute named, and asks that the matter be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads for inquiry. The Senator first asked that the Senate adopt a resolution to fuquire into the facts, but Senator Sherman objected, and suggested that the resolution be referred to the above-named committee. Senator Voorhees accepted the suggestion and the matter was referred to the committee.

There were the usual number of callers at the temporary residence of the President yesterday morning, including several Senators. At mon the members of all the foreign legations now in the city, in full court dress, called in a body to pay their respects to the President. They were presented by Secretary Blaine to the President. All the members of the Cabinet were present and folly an hour was consumed in fellcitations and hand-shaking before the visitors took their leave. The order of the President closing the Departments at most was one official act that met with the extract approval of Government can players of all shades of Republicanism. In anticipation of his absence at Yorkown, it is probable that the President will send in an unusually large batch of nominations to-day, in order that the Senate may not be delayed in acting upon such appointments as are most pressing. There were the usual number of callers

The New Jersey Republicans.

The New Jersey Republican Association held a special meeting last night at St. George's Hall, the object of which was to make the necessary preparations for attending the State elections in November and the securing of transportation for the members of the association to their respective voting places. A large representation of the State was precent, Jacob W. Starr, the president of the association, being in the chair. The propriety of securing permanent quarters for the association, with club-room and reading-room attached, was discussed, and met with general favor, and it is probable that after the election next menth steps will be taken in that direction. An earnest spirit of co-operation in these and other objects and promotion of the party interests in the State and at large was manifested.

German Guesta to Arrive To-Day. New Jersey Republicans.

German Guesta to Arrive To-Day The descendants of Baron von Steuben and the other German guests will arrive in this city this morning at half-past seven o'clock. They were delayed in their trip across the ocean, and Fire at a Catholic Church.

New York, Oct. 13.—A fire this morning in a room of the building San 35 West Fifteenth street, used by carpenters at work on the new church of St. Francis Xavier for redemption by the close of business next Mondon to the woodwork and cornings, and destroying two paintings in the woodwork and cornings, and destroying two paintings in the mondon to the durch and set fire to the woodwork and cornings, which is the sound of the total amongst offered shall be distributed printing in the church and distures.

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It appears to be definitely settled that resident Arthur will make no Cabinet nomina-ions until after the Yorktown Centennial cere-

GLADSTONE'S FOLLY.

PARNELL ARRESTED AND IN JAIL,

A Blaze of Excitement Throughout Ireland-How the Arrest Was Consummated-The Executive Committee of the Land League in Session.

Dublin, Oct. 13.—Parnell is arrested and in jail. Ireland is in a blaze of excitement. and in jail. Ireland is in a blaze of excitement. He was arrested this morning at the Kingsbridge railway station while on his way to attend the Kildare convention. It is not yet known with what offense he is charged. It is understood that the determination to arrest Mr. Parnell was only reached at yesterday's cabinet conneil in London. The warrant for his arrest was issued to detectives of Dublin on the arrival there of the chief secretary for Ireland, Mr. Ferster, who left London insmediately after the close of the cabinet council. The arrest was made by Detective Superintendent Mallins at Morrison's Hotel, on two warrants. Mallins at Morrison's Hotel, on two warrants, signed by Mr. Forster, chief secretary for Ireland, charging him with inciting people to intimidate others from paying their just rent; and with in-timidating tenants from taking the benefit of the land act. Mr. Parnell was TAKEN TO KILMAINHAM JAIL IN A CAB.

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It is reported that the arrest of Mr. Parnell is
only a preliminary to still more vicorous action
against the Land League. The arrest was effected
very quietly at \$25 o'clock this morning. The police appealed to Mr. Parnell to avoid all delay, so
as not to permit the fact to become public. The
moderate Liberals and Conservatives approve the
arrest. It is believed that Mr. Parnell's speech at
Wexford last Sunday furnished the government's
technical justification for his arrest. The Land
League executive committee is now (three p. m.)
sitting. It is expected that it will publish a manifesto. It is stated that Mr. John Dillon, member of
Parliament for Tippernry, will assume the presidency of the League. Messer, John Dillon, member of
Parliament for Tippernry, will assume the presidency of the League. Messer, John Dillon, Arthur
O'Connor, and A. M. Sullivan, members of Parliament, were present. Mr. Dillon

SPOKE IN PIERN TERMS.

The military force in Dublin is held in readlness
for action in the event of emergency.

The secretary of the Land League was interviewed shortly after Mr. Parnell's arrest to-day.
He expressed much astonishment and exclaimed
excitedly: "Let them go on? We are ready for
them?"

Father Shehy, Patrick Egan, and V. B. Dillon
proceeded to Paris to-day.
Morrison's Hotel had been exrefully watched
from the time Mr. Parnell entered it list evening.
The officer who made the arrest first saw Mr. Parnell in his bed-room. He allowed him to finish
dressing and pack his clothing. Mr. Parnell was
calm. He was warmly welco ed by the suspects
in Kilmainham Jall. When the arrest became
known there was great excitement. The newspaper offices were besieged.

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Kildare, Longford, Louth, Wexford, and Wieklow.

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The Gustte proclaims the Counties of Carlow, Kildare, Longford, Louth, Wexford, and Wicklow, and certain baronies in Meath, under the coercion act. The guard, at Kilmatuliam, Jail has been doubled. The inhabitants of Lismore closed their shops on the reception of the news of Mr. Parnell's arrest. An additional guard and two nine-pounders have been stationed in the Upper Castle yard. A meeting of the citizens of Dublin has been summoned for Friday to express indignation at the arrest of Mr. Parnell. Mr. Billon will preside. TERRIBLE EXCITEMENT IN IBELAND.

will redouble its work and stand by you to the end.

OLLIANS, President.

New York, Oct. 13.—The Irish World on receivthe news of Parnell's arrest. Sent to the Land League in America a circular, in which it says:

Irishmen must restrain their impulses! Reason, not passion, should rate the hour! Never did the Land League have a better opportunity to manifest its moral power than now. Nover that the some this did to the Irish people to exhibit the virtues of soft-possession, discipline, and obscience to the Land League more than now. Through ealightenmont and organization the people will exactedly come into peaces of the international companion of their inheritance. Much has been generally approximately considered to the Land League is the sent of the land the same of their power in the present against to the majesty of ideas, which are invulnerable and immoral. No man who believes in the superiority of mind over brute matter can entertain a doubt respecting the final bases.

THE NEWS IN LONDON.

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THE NEWS IN LONDON.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—At a meeting of the executive of the Land League of Great Britain in London, presided over by Mr. Cowen, it was decided to hold a monster meeting in Hyde Park on the 23d instant. A telegram published in London to-night says it is announced in political circles in Dublia that the executive had determined to arrest all the leaders of the Land League. The privy council of Ireland is now sitting.

RICHMOND, VA., Oct. 13 .- A few weeks ago two letters purporting to have been written by Frank S. Blair, Readjuster candidate for attorney-general, were furnished to Hon. George D. Wise, member of Congress, by W. L. Wilson. These letters, which are known as the "Blair letters," con-tained damaging statements, and were used in the present campaign to show Blair's contempt for negroes, &c. Blair, from the first, denied the authorship of the letters. The Whig, Read-juster organ, will to-morrow publish letters from Wilson confessing that the letters were forgeries; that they were originally written by some one in Salem, Va., whose name he will divulge, and then given to him; that subsequently, while intoxicated, the letters were extracted from his pocket and copied, and that he was then in-duced to take the stand he did and saddle them

OHIO AND IOWA. Foster's Plurality 20,000-The Legislature

Republican-lowa's Governor. Columnus, Omo, Oct. 13.—Chairman Nash, of the Republican State Executive Committee, says: "Returns from fifty one out of eighty-eight counties show a net Republican gain of 2,7:2." and be estimates Foster's plurality at over 20,0ml He estimates that the house will stand 69 Republicans to 36 Democrats and the senate 29 Republicans to 12 Democrats. This estimate leaves thanition County only two Republican senators, there
being three elected. The senate will stand: the
publicans 21, Democrats 12.

Dies Mounes, Oct. III.—Returns from sixteen more
counties in addition to the sixty-two reported last
night confirm the estimate of the total majority for
Sherman for Governor as sent in those dispatches
last night. Those seventy-eight counties give
Sherman a net majority over Kinne of 38,500, which
sustain previous estimates that his majority will
be 48,000. He estimates that the house will stand 69 Repub-

Paris, Oct. 13.—It is announced that M. Gambetta has declared his opinion to President Gambetta has dectared his opinion to Freedent Grevy that as the cablinet has not yet resigned, it would be in accordance with the principles of the constitution and parliamentary procedure to await the issue of the debate in the chainser be-fore any steps are taken toward the formation of a new cabinet. It is said that President Grevy has decided to act upon M. Gambetta's opinion, and has arranged for another interview after the meeting of the chambers.

Death of an Ex-Member. AUBURN, N. Y., Oct. 13.-Colonel Edwin B. Morgan, a wealthy resident of this county, died at his home in Aurora to-day. He was one of the principal stockholders in the New York Thace, one of the originators of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, and was elected to Congress three times, beginning in 1852. He was seventy-five years of age.